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Department of Labor and Industry (DLI)

Construction Codes and Licensing Division

Adopted Permanent Rules Relating to Manufactured Home Park Storm Shelters

The rules proposed and published at *State Register*, Volume 35, Number 1, pages 5-9, July 6, 2010 (35 SR 5), are adopted as proposed.

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Minnesota Department of Administration (Admin) STAR Program Awards for Excellence in Assistive Technology (AT) Ceremony April 5, 2011

The STAR Program Awards for Excellence in AT ceremony will be held on Tuesday, April 5, 2011 from 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. in the Capitol Rotunda with a reception to follow in the Great Hall. Please call the STAR Program at (651) 201-2640 if accommodations are needed.

Department of Human Services (DHS) Authorization List of All Drugs That Have Been Added Requiring Authorization as a Condition of Minnesota Health Care Programs (MHCP) Payment

The following is a listing of added drugs to the current authorization list. The newly added drug codes will require authorization on or after April 1, 2011.

As authorized by *Minnesota Statutes*, section 256B.0625, subd 25, the following list includes all drugs that have been added requiring authorization as a condition of MHCP payment. The criteria used to develop this list are as follows:

- A. The health service could be considered, under some circumstances, to be of questionable medical necessity.
- B. Use of the health service needs monitoring to control the expenditure of program funds.
- C. Less costly, appropriate alternatives to the health service are generally available.
- D. The health service is investigative.
- E. The health service is newly developed or modified.
- F. The health service is of a continuing nature and requires monitoring to prevent its continuation when it ceases to be beneficial.
- G. The health service is comparable to a service provided in a skilled nursing facility or hospital but is provided in a recipient’s home.

H. The health service could be considered cosmetic.

These newly added non preferred drugs will require Authorization for services provided on or after April 1, 2011.

DRUGS

Added Drug

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Department of Labor and Industry (DLI) Plumbing Board Notice of Final Interpretation for Sump Pumps and Discharge Piping

On March 14, 2011, the Minnesota Plumbing Board issued a Final Interpretation, which is printed below, pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* §§ 326B.435, subdivision 2(a)(4), and 326B.127, subdivision 5. Any person aggrieved by this Final Interpretation may appeal it within 30 days of its issuance by the Plumbing Board, in accordance with Chapter 14 of the *Minnesota Statutes*. Any person wishing to appeal this Final Interpretation must mail, fax, or deliver a written letter of appeal to:

Plumbing Board, Attention: Patricia Munkel-Olson
Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry
443 Lafayette Road North
St. Paul, MN 55155
FAX: (651) 284-5725

Any mailed letter of appeal must be postmarked no later than April 13, 2011. Any faxed or delivered letter of appeal must be received by the Plumbing Board no later than 4:30 p.m. on April 13, 2011.

Questions may be directed to Sandy Arndt, phone: (651) 284-5115, **e-mail:** sandy.arndt@state.mn.us. TTY users may call (651) 297-4198. No telephone or email appeals will be accepted.

FINAL INTERPRETATION

Inquiry: PB0061

Subject: Sump pumps and discharge piping

Code Reference: Minnesota Plumbing Code, *Minnesota Rules* Parts 4715.0100 and 4715.2440

Submitted by: Bruce Hutchins
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Approved by: Code Interpretation Committee
by Jim Gander, Committee Chair

Date Received: January 10, 2011

Issue Date: March 14, 2011

Question: Is the discharge piping from a sump pump to its point of discharge plumbing work as defined by the Minnesota Plumbing Code (the "Code")?

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Answer: Yes, the installation of a discharge piping from a sump pump to its point of discharge is plumbing pursuant to the Code. Because the Code specifically addresses sumps and the discharge line, and the definition of plumbing includes drainage systems, our conclusion is that the installation of a sump pump and drainage piping is plumbing.

Commentary: The submitter agreed that this Final Interpretation could be issued more than 30 days after his request was received. All parties were heard and had fair opportunity to present facts, thoughts, opinions, and challenges pertaining to the question of whether the installation of discharge piping from a sump pump is plumbing.

The submitter and persons making comment agreed that sump pumps and drainage piping requirements are specified in the Code. They disagree, however, on whether a plumbing license, and a plumbing permit and inspection, should be required for these installations. Commentors stated that many jurisdictions do not require these installations to be performed by a licensed plumber or the issuance of a plumbing permit and inspection, and that for the Board to require a license could have a major impact on the business of installing clear water sump pumps. Our conclusion does not address this issue.

The submitter and persons making comment were invited to submit suggestions or recommendations related to amending the Code directly to the Board.

As required by *Minnesota Statutes* § 326B.127, subd. 5, the Plumbing Board will consider this Final Interpretation for adoption as part of the Minnesota Plumbing Code.

Dated: 14 March 2011

Jim Gander, Committee Chair
Code Interpretation Committee

Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry (DLI) Plumbing Board Notice of Final Interpretation for 35-foot Limitation on Horizontal Plastic Piping

FINAL INTERPRETATION

Inquiry: PB0063

Subject: 35-foot limitation on horizontal plastic piping

Code Reference: Minnesota Plumbing Code, *Minnesota Rules* Part 4715.0580, item F (2009)

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Approved by: Code Interpretation Committee
by Jim Gander, Committee Chair

Date Received: December 27, 2010

Issue Date: March 14, 2011

Question: Is the guideline currently being used by the Plumbing unit at the Department of Labor and Industry (DLI) an appropriate outline for the 35' rule in the Minnesota Plumbing Code (the "Code")?

Answer: Yes, the informative guideline (a drawing) prepared by the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) in January 1999 and named Plastic Pipe Installation – 35 foot limitation (ENG16) and currently used by DLI for illustrative purposes, represents our

interpretation of *Minnesota Rules* Part 4715.0580, item F.

Commentary: The submitter agreed that this Final Interpretation could be issued more than 30 days after his request was received. All parties were heard and had fair opportunity to present facts, thoughts, opinions, and challenges pertaining to the question of how the 35-foot limitation on horizontal plastic piping in *Minnesota Rules* Part 4715.0580, item F, is interpreted.

The Committee decided to uphold the interpretation of DLI staff, as set forth by the informative guideline prepared by MDH, with a strong recommendation that the Board consider amending the Code as soon as possible to provide clarity to horizontal plastic piping and the definition of drain.

As required by *Minnesota Statutes* § 326B.127, subd. 5, the Plumbing Board will consider this Final Interpretation for adoption as part of the Code.

Dated: 14 March 2011

Jim Gander, Committee Chair
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Department of Public Safety (DPS) Driver and Vehicle Services Division Notice of Certification for Ignition Interlock Manufacturers

The Minnesota Department of Public Safety, Driver & Vehicle Services Division is requesting submissions from qualified ignition interlock device manufacturers for the purpose of certification in the Minnesota Ignition Interlock Program. Qualified IID manufacturers meeting Minnesota Ignition Interlock Program performance standards, requirements, and deliverables will be considered for product and service certification under Minnesota laws and statutes. The Minnesota Ignition Interlock Program begins July 1, 2011.

This request for submission does not obligate the State to certify any ignition interlock device manufacturers. The State reserves the right to cancel this solicitation. All expenses incurred in responding to this notice are solely the responsibility of the responder.

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E-mail: dvs.admin@state.mn.us
Fax: (651) 797-1194

All questions concerning this Certification for Ignition Interlock Manufacturers should be in writing and e-mailed or faxed to the above address no later than 2:30 P.M. Central Standard Time (CST) on March 28, 2011. All answers to questions will be in writing and sent to all entities requesting Certification no later than 4:30 P.M. CST by April 4, 2011. Final date for submitting proposals is 2:30 P.M. CST on April 12, 2011. Late proposals will not be considered. Faxed or e-mailed proposals will not be considered.

Official Notices

Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT) Engineering Services Division, Office of Construction and Innovative Contracting Notices of Suspension and Debarment

NOTICE OF SUSPENSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following vendors are suspended effective December 28, 2009, until final disposition of the hearing or hearing appeal:

Riley Bros. Companies Inc. and its affiliates, Morris MN
Riley Bros. Construction Inc. and its affiliates, Morris MN
Riley Bros. Properties, LLC, and its affiliates, Morris MN
Riley Bros. Utilities, Inc. dba/Chris Riley Utilities, Inc. and its affiliates, Morris MN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following vendors are suspended effective February 22, 2011, until April 22, 2011:

Philip Joseph Franklin
Franklin Drywall Inc. and its affiliates
Master Drywall Inc. and its affiliates

NOTICE OF DEBARMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following vendors are debarred for a period of three (3) years effective February 24, 2010 until February 24, 2013:

Joseph Edward Riley, Morris, MN
John Thomas Riley, Morris, MN

Minnesota Statutes, Section 161.315, prohibits the Commissioner, counties, towns or home rule or statutory cities from awarding or approving the award of a contract for goods or services to a person who is suspended or debarred; including

- 1) any contract under which a debarred or suspended person will serve as a subcontractor or material supplier,
- 2) any business or affiliate which the debarred or suspended person exercises substantial influence or control, and
- 3) any business or entity which is sold or transferred by a debarred person remains ineligible during the period of the seller's or transfer's debarment.

Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT) State Aid for Local Transportation Division Notice of Appointment and Meeting of a State Aid Variance Committee

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioner of Transportation has appointed a State Aid Variance Advisory Committee who will meet on Thursday, March 24, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. at the Mn/DOT Arden Hills Training Center, located at 1900 West County Road I, in Shoreview, Minnesota, 55126. This notice is given pursuant to *Minnesota Statute* 14.46. The purpose of this open meeting is to investigate and determine recommendations for variance requests from minimum State Aid roadway standards and administrative procedures as governed by *Minnesota Rules* for State Aid Operations 8820 adopted pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* Chapters 161 and 162.

The agenda will include the following:

1. Petition of City of Wayzata for a variance from *Minnesota Rules* 8820.9922, *Design Standards; New Bridge, Bridge Replacement, or Bridge Rehabilitation Projects and Approach Roadways on Rural or Suburban Undivided Roadways That Are Not on The State-Aid System* as they apply to Peavey Bridge (Bridge No. 27B70) on Ferndale Road so as to allow a 24-foot bridge roadway width in lieu of the 32-foot bridge roadway width as required by law.

2. Petition of Cities of Edina and St. Louis Park for a variance from *Minnesota Rules* 8820.9936, *Design Standards, Urban; New or Reconstruction Projects* as they apply to West 44th Street from Browndale Avenue to Dart Avenue and Wooddale Avenue to Curve Avenue so as to allow a 30-foot roadway width in lieu of the 32-foot roadway width as required by law.

3. Petition of Cities of Edina and St. Louis Park for a variance from *Minnesota Rules* 8820.9936, *Design Standards, Urban; New or Reconstruction Projects* as they apply to West 44th Street from Eton Place to France Avenue so as to allow a 35-foot roadway width in lieu of the 38-foot roadway width as required by law.

4. Petition of City of Austin for a variance from *Minnesota Rules* 8820.9936, *Design Standards, Urban; New or Reconstruction* as they apply to 14th Avenue at the intersection of 4th Street so as to allow a 20 mph horizontal curve in lieu of the 30 mph horizontal curve as required by law.

5. Petition of City of Austin for a variance from *Minnesota Rules* 8820.9936, *Design Standards, Urban; New or Reconstruction* as they apply to 14th Avenue at the intersection of 8th Street so as to allow a 25 mph horizontal curve in lieu of the 30 mph horizontal curve as required by law.

Dated: 10 March 2011

Julie A. Skallman, State Aid Engineer
State Aid for Local Transportation
Minnesota Department of Transportation

State Grants & Loans

In addition to requests by state agencies for technical/professional services (published in the State Contracts Section), the *State Register* also publishes notices about grants and loans available through any agency or branch of state government. Although some grant and loan programs specifically require printing in a statewide publication such as the *State Register*, there is no requirement for publication in the *State Register* itself. Agencies are encouraged to publish grant and loan notices, and to provide financial estimates as well as sufficient time for interested parties to respond.

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Department of Administration (Admin)

STAR Program

Notice of Availability of Grant Contract for Assistive Technology Device Demonstration and Device Loan

The Minnesota Department of Administration/STAR Program is requesting proposals to improve access to assistive technology (AT) devices and services for persons with disabilities of all ages and disabilities in Minnesota through device demonstration and loan. The STAR Program intends to work toward this outcome by contracting with established AT demonstration and loan programs throughout the state that provide an array of services enabling persons with disabilities access to appropriate assistive technology that advances their individual interests and goals.

Work is proposed to start after April 30, 2011.

A Request for Proposals is available from this office through April 15, 2011. **A written request (by direct mail, fax or Email) is required to receive the Request for Proposal.**

The Request for Proposal can be obtained from and should be returned to:

Joan Gillum
STAR Program
658 Cedar Street, #358
St. Paul, MN 55155
Telephone: (651) 201-2296
Fax: (651) 282-6671
E-mail: joan.gillum@state.mn.us

Proposals submitted in response to the Request for Proposals in this advertisement must be received at the address above no later than April 19, 2011 at 12:00 p.m. (Noon) Central Daylight Time. **Late and/or incomplete proposals will NOT be considered.** No time extensions will be granted.

This request does NOT obligate the State to complete the work contemplated in this notice. The State reserves the right to cancel this solicitation. All expenses incurred in responding to this notice are solely the responsibility of the responder.

Department of Health (MDH)

Environmental Health Division

Accepting Project Submissions for the Drinking Water Revolving Fund Project Priority List

The Drinking Water Revolving Fund provides below market rate financing for public water system improvements. The first step toward obtaining a loan is to request a project be placed on the Project Priority List (PPL). Requests must be **received by 4:30 p.m., Friday, May 6, 2011.**

Funding priority is for projects that correct a public health hazard, bring or keep systems in compliance with drinking water standards, and for communities below the median household income. Typical projects are for wells, treatment plants, water towers, and distribution lines. Funding is not for economic expansion or fire protection. Eligibility and ranking requirements are in *Minnesota Rules*, parts 4720.9000 to 4720.9080.

Depending on federal appropriations, 25% principal forgiveness (grants) up to \$1 million maybe provided for projects that additionally save water, energy, or are environmentally innovative. Priority would be based on priority list ranking, so not all projects would be expected to receive principal forgiveness.

For PPL instructions, a general program overview, and to see an example of a simplified proposal go to:

www.health.state.mn.us/water/dwrf/.

- or -

Call: (651) 201-4658

Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS) Aging and Adult Services Division Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Organization Development Contract Notice of Request for Proposals to Develop PACE Organizations Contracts

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Minnesota Department of Human Services through its Aging and Adult Services Division (State), is seeking Proposals from qualified responders who agree to develop a financially and service viable Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Organization. *Minnesota Statutes*, section 256B.69, subdivision 23(e), directs the State to solicit proposals to approve and implement PACE according to federal laws and regulations governing the program (42 CFR Part 460) and state law or rules applicable to participating providers. The State intends to select **up to three** respondents with whom to enter into a development contract between the State and the qualified Responder to produce a provider application for submission to Centers of Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). This submission to CMS is intended to result in a three-party PACE Program Agreement. In addition to entering into a development contract with the State and completing the three-party PACE Program Agreement, successful responders must each enter into a two-party agreement (PACE Contract) with the State a minimum of 30 days prior to the start of operation. The term of the initial development contract is anticipated to range from 12 to 24 months with the option for one extension.

Successful responders must demonstrate their understanding and the ability to meet all service and financial requirements for PACE Organizations laid out in federal and state regulations.

The full RFP is available online at the Minnesota Department of Human Services website, http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/dhs16_159268.doc. Additional resources and information for potential responders is available at the DHS PACE website: <http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/mnp pace>.

Two optional responders' conferences will be held. The first will be held on Thursday, March 24, 2011, 1:30 p.m. Central Standard Time via video conference. Responders interested in attending this session must register online at <http://www.agingtraining.dhs.state.mn.us> no later than 5 p.m., March 23, 2011. The second responders' conference will be held on Monday, April 18, 2011, 9:00 a.m., central time at the Elmer L. Andersen Human Services building (located at 540 Cedar Street, St. Paul, 55155). Responders interested in attending the second session should register online at <http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/mnp pace/rfp>.

The deadline for receipt of proposals is June 24, 2011, 4:00 p.m. central time. Late, faxed and emailed proposals will not be considered. For more information contact:

Mary Olsen Baker, Planner
Aging and Adult Services
Phone: (651) 431-2568
E-mail: dhs.mnp ace@state.mn.us

This is the only person designated to answer questions regarding the request for proposal.

Other department personnel are NOT allowed to discuss the Request for Proposal with anyone, including responders, before the proposal submission deadline.

Proposals submitted in response to this Request for Proposals must be received at the address below no later than **4:00 p.m., Central Time, on June 24, 2011. Late proposals will NOT be considered.** Faxed or e-mailed proposals will NOT be considered.

PACE RFP Response
Attention: Mary Olsen Baker
Aging and Adult Services Division
Department of Human Services

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444 Lafayette Road N.
St. Paul, MN 55155

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Department of Human Services (DHS) Children and Family Services Notice of Request for Proposal to Create Data Collection Tools and Conduct Analysis of Child Care Provider Market Rate Survey Data in Minnesota

The Department of Human Services (Department) is requesting proposals from qualified parties for the purpose of creating data collection tools for the Minnesota Child Care Provider Business Update (Update) and conducting an analysis of child care provider market rate data collected. The Department annually collects Minnesota child care market rate data as a component of the *Update* which also includes questions for licensed child care providers regarding policies, hours of operation, available openings, educational approaches, and for family child providers – training and experience.

The intent of this RFP is to select a contractor to provide the following for a period up to five years;

- develop paper and online data collection tools for the *Update*, based on content provided by the State;
- provide a server to house program files and database associated with online data collection;
- support responders to the online tool and;
- analyze and report on child care market rate survey data generated by all data collection methods.

Through a separate contract with the Minnesota Child Care Resource and Referral Network, paper *Update* data collection and phone contacts are completed and ALL *Update* data is entered into the National Association of Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies database ((NACCRRAware or Nware).

A sub-set of rate related data is aggregated and exported in an electronic format, for analysis by the contractor selected through this RFP process. Currently child care market rate data is exported and analyzed annually. Following potential legislative action, rate data would be exported and analyzed biennially, starting in 2012.

The data collected and analyzed will be used to provide reports on:

- A. Information on the rates charged by providers;
- B. Summary information at the cluster, county, region and state level of analysis using the established methodology for each provider type, rate unit, and age group;
- C. Relationship between current market rates and CCAP maximum rates¹; and
- D. Recommendations for improving the approach to gathering and analyzing and reporting rate survey data.

Anticipated project period is August 1, 2011 through July 31, 2016. The first contract period is anticipated to be August 1, 2011 through July 31, 2012 with continuation based upon continued funding and the state's satisfaction with the vendor's performance.

A Request for Proposal will be available by mail from this office through March 28, 2011. A written request (by direct mail, fax or email) is required to receive the Request for Proposal. After March 28, 2011, the Request for Proposal must be picked up in person.

The Request for Proposal can be obtained from:

Jan Hielsberg
Transition to Economic Stability
Children and Family Services
Department of Human Services
444 Lafayette Road North
St. Paul, Minnesota 55164

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Phone: (651) 431-4028
Fax: (651) 431-7526
E-mail: Janice.hielsberg@state.mn.us

This is the only person designated to answer questions regarding this request for interested vendors.

Proposals submitted in response to the Request for Proposals in this advertisement must be received at the address above no later than 4:00 p.m. on April 11, 2011. **Late proposals will NOT be considered.** Fax or emailed proposals will **NOT** be considered.

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(Footnotes)

¹The selected contractor will also utilize the standard hour child care assistance program maximum subsidy rates currently in place for analysis.

State Contracts

Informal Solicitations: Informal solicitations for professional/technical (consultant) contracts valued at over \$5,000 through \$50,000, may either be published in the *State Register* or posted on the Department of Administration, Materials Management Division's (MMD) Web site. Interested vendors are encouraged to monitor the P/T Contract Section of the MMD Web site at www.mmd.admin.state.mn.us for informal solicitation announcements.

Formal Solicitations: Department of Administration procedures require that formal solicitations (announcements for contracts with an estimated value over \$50,000) for professional/technical contracts must be published in the *State Register*. Certain quasi-state agency and Minnesota State College and University institutions are exempt from these requirements.

Requirements: There are no statutes or rules requiring contracts to be advertised for any specific length of time, but the Materials Management Division strongly recommends meeting the following requirements:

- \$0 - \$5000 does not need to be advertised. Contact the Materials Management Division: (651) 296-2600
- \$5,000 - \$25,000 should be advertised in the *State Register* for a period of at least seven calendar days;
- \$25,000 - \$50,000 should be advertised in the *State Register* for a period of at least 14 calendar days; and
- anything above \$50,000 should be advertised in the *State Register* for a minimum of at least 21 calendar days

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Department of Administration (Admin)

Notice of Availability of Request for Proposal (RFP) for Designer Selection for University Avenue Tunnel at Capitol Complex-St. Paul, MN

RECS Project #: 02620CPX

The State of Minnesota, Department of Administration, Real Estate and Construction Services (“State”) is soliciting proposals from interested, qualified consultants for architectural and engineering design services for the above referenced project.

This is a re-posting of the RFP advertised the weeks of 2/22/2011 and 2/28/2011 which addresses new Targeted Group (TG) subcontracting goals for large projects, revisions to language regarding the design disciplines which may be the lead consultant and proposer, and changes to dates and/or times. All previous attachments and addenda issued under the original RFP are to be considered a part of the re-posted RFP.

A mandatory informational meeting is scheduled for March 22, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. C.T. at the Administration Building, 50 Sherburne Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55155 in Room 116B. All potential responders, even those who attended the March 1, 2011 informational meeting per the original posting of this RFP must attend this meeting, as important new information will be addressed.

A full Request for Proposals is available on the Department of Administration, Real Estate and Construction Services website: www.admin.state.mn.us/recs, click on “Solicitation Announcements.”

The Department of Administration, Real Estate and Construction Services Division is not obligated to complete the proposed project and reserves the right to cancel the solicitation if it is considered to be in its best interest.

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU)

Minnesota State University Moorhead

Notice of Request for Bids for Internet and Television Services to Residence Halls

Minnesota State University requests bids for Internet and Television Services to its approximately 1700 residence hall students for up to a five year period beginning July 1, 2011.

Copies of the RFP may be obtained by e-mail to Mark Rice: ricem@mnstate.edu OR by calling (218) 477-2062.

Proposals are due by 2:00 PM CDT on April 22, 2011. Proposals will be reviewed the week of April 25th, 2011.

Minnesota Historical Society (MHS)

Notice of Request for Bids for Gallery Space Preparation for *The 1968 Exhibit*

The Minnesota Historical Society (Society) is seeking competitive bids from qualified contractors for construction services for the gallery space preparation at the Minnesota History Center for *The 1968 Exhibit*. The work will include the demolition of existing partition walls and the removal of electrical outlets and lighting track and fixtures, as well as the construction of new partition walls (including taping and painting), installation of vinyl baseboards and electrical outlets, re-installation of existing lighting track and fixtures, and minimal carpet tile replacement.

The Request for Bids is available from Mary Green-Toussaint, the Society’s Purchasing Coordinator, via e-mail: mary.green-toussaint@mnhs.org.

Bids are due by 2:00 p.m. Local Time on Thursday, April 4, 2011. Late responses will not be accepted.

Dated: 21 March 2011

Department of Natural Resources (DNR)

Notice of Availability of Contract to Develop a Brand and Market Plan for Terrestrial Invasive Species Education Targeting Minnesota Recreationists

The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources is requesting proposals for the purpose of developing a brand and market plan for Minnesota Terrestrial Invasive Species Education (written plan available among request) with the goal of changing public behavior by fostering active participation in actions designed to interrupt two primary recreational pathways of spread (along trails and in firewood) for terrestrial invasive species. The MNDNR intends to share the brand identity, marketing strategies and associated materials with a number of partner agencies and organizations to foster the use of consistent messaging across the industry. As such, the brand and marketing strategies must be compatible with existing brands and messages being used by state and federal agencies, and private organizations (example Stop Aquatic Hitchhikers, and Leave No Trace).

Work is proposed to start after May 13, 2011.

A Request for Proposals will be available by email from this office through April 4, 2011. **A written request (by direct mail, email or fax) is required to receive the Request for Proposal.** Please include your email address in your request. The Request for Proposal can be obtained from:

Susan Burks
MNDNR, St Paul Headquarters
500 Lafayette Rd, St Paul, 55155
Fax: (651) 296-5954
E-mail: susan.burks@state.mn.us

Proposals submitted in response to the Request for Proposals in this advertisement must be received at the address above no later than 3:30 Central time, April 12, 2011. **Late proposals will NOT be considered.** Faxed or emailed proposals will **NOT** be considered.

This request does not obligate the State to complete the work contemplated in this notice. The State reserves the right to cancel this solicitation. All expenses incurred in responding to this notice are solely the responsibility of the responder.

Department of Natural Resources (DNR)

Land and Minerals Division

Notice of Sale of State Metallic Minerals Leases

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a sale of leases to explore for, mine and remove metallic minerals in trust fund lands, lands and minerals forfeited for non-payment of taxes, lands and minerals otherwise acquired, and other state-owned land under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Natural Resources, and located in portions of Itasca, Koochiching, Lake and Saint Louis Counties, is scheduled to be held on Thursday, April 28, 2011, at 9:00 a.m. The sale will take place at the Central Offices of the Division of Lands and Minerals, 4th Floor, East-West Conference Room DNR Building, 500 Lafayette Road, Saint Paul, Minnesota. No land or water areas within the Boundary Water Canoe Area Wilderness or Voyageurs National Park are included in this or any State mineral lease sale.

The Commissioner will receive sealed bids and applications for leases covering minerals in state lands, in accordance with Minnesota Rules, parts 6125.0100 through 6125.0700 – the metallic mineral rules issued under the authority of *Minnesota Statutes*, Chapter 93. Each bid must be submitted on a form obtained from the Commissioner. Each bid form must be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check, or bank money order, payable to the Department of Natural Resources in the sum of the following amounts: a) an application fee of \$100.00 for each mining unit bid upon; and b) rental for one full calendar year for each mining unit bid upon. All bids must be received

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by the Commissioner at the office of the Division of Lands and Minerals, Fourth Floor, DNR Building, 500 Lafayette Road, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55155-4045, before 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 27, 2011.

On Thursday, April 28, 2010, at the time specified, the Commissioner, or his representative will publicly open the bids and announce the amount of each bid separately. At a subsequent time, leases will be awarded by the Commissioner, with the approval of the State Executive Council, to the highest bidder for the respective mining units, but no bids will be accepted that do not equal or exceed the base royalty rates set forth in the Rules or that do not comply with all provisions of the Rules. The State reserves the right, through the State Executive Council, to reject any or all bids.

The purpose of Minnesota's metallic minerals rules is to promote and regulate the prospecting for, mining and removal of metallic minerals on state-owned and state-administered lands. These Rules, and the leases issued under the Rules, authorize exploration and development of these minerals and impose certain requirements on the lessee. The requirements include: the payment of minimum rentals that increase over the term of the lease; the payment of royalty for all ore mined and removed; the submission of data and other reports; and the submission of exploration plans. In addition, the lessee must comply with all applicable regulatory laws.

After the conclusion of the sale, each high bidder will be required to provide evidence demonstrating that the bidder is qualified to hold a state mineral lease pursuant to *Minnesota Rules*, part 6125.0410. The Rules state that a lease will only be issued to an applicant qualified to do business in Minnesota and qualified to conduct exploratory borings in Minnesota. In addition, the Commissioner may request evidence that the lease applicant is technically and financially capable of performing under the terms of a state mineral lease. The requested evidence must be provided within 45 days of the request from the Commissioner or the bids from that high bidder will be rejected.

Upon the award of a lease, the application fee submitted with the bid will be deposited as a fee for the lease. All bids not accepted will become void, and the application fee and rental payment accompanying such bids will be returned to each respective bidder, provided, however, the application fee and rental payment accompanying a bid shall not be returned if the bidder was the high bidder and subsequently withdrew the bid prior to the award of a lease.

Bid forms, instructions on how bids are to be submitted, copies of the rules (*Minnesota Rules*, parts 6125.0100 through 6125.0700) and copies of the Mining Unit Book, listing the land areas designated by the Commissioner as mining units, may be obtained from the Transactions Section, Division of Lands and Minerals, DNR Building, 500 Lafayette Road, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55155-4045. E-mail inquiries may be sent to aaron.vande-linde@state.mn.us.

The Mining Unit Book will be available at least 30 days prior to April 28, 2011. Application for each copy of the Mining Unit Book must be accompanied by a check or money order payable to the Department of Natural Resources in the sum of \$25.00 as a fee for such Mining Unit Book plus shipping and applicable State of Minnesota Sales Tax. Mining Unit Books will also be available for inspection at the Hibbing and Saint Paul offices of the Division of Lands and Minerals, and on the internet through the DNR website at:

http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/lands_minerals/index.html.

Dated: 14 March 2011

Larry R. Kramka, Director
Division of Lands and Minerals
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Division of Lands and Minerals Notice of Availability of Contract for Land Acquisition Services CERTIFICATION # 24514

The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources is requesting proposals for the purpose of multiple vendors to provide land acquisition services.

Work is proposed to start after April, 2011.

A Request for Proposals will be available by mail from this office through March 18, 2011. **A written request (by direct mail or fax) is required to receive the Request for Proposal.** After March 18, 2011, the Request for Proposal must be picked up in person.

The Request for Proposal can be obtained from:

Kathy Lewis, Assistant Director
Division of Lands & Minerals
500 Lafayette Road
St. Paul, MN 55155-4045
E-mail: *Kathy.lewis@state.mn.us*
Telephone number: (651) 259-5404

Proposals submitted in response to the Request for Proposals will be accepted on a continual basis with the first proposal submission due March 25, 2011. Fax or e-mailed proposals will **NOT** be considered.

This request does not obligate the State to complete the work contemplated in this notice. The State reserves the right to cancel this solicitation. All expenses incurred in responding to this notice are solely the responsibility of the responder.

Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT) Engineering Services Division Notice of Potential Availability of Contracting Opportunities for a Variety of General Organizational Related Activities

(This document is available in alternative formats for persons with disabilities by calling Melissa McGinnis at 651-366-4644; for persons who are hearing or speech impaired by calling the Minnesota Relay Service at 800-627-3529.)

Mn/DOT, in conjunction with the Department of Administration, have developed a streamlined approach for fast-tracking select general organization service projects. These general organizational projects may include, but are not limited to, work in the following categories: 1) Develop, implement and summarize internal and external surveys; 2) Recommend best practices in an organizational structure; 3) Assist with organizational health structure; 4) Provide marketing support; 5) Develop, implement and provide support of ad hoc forums; 6) Establish and facilitate collaborative groups, including cross-organization and public-private teams; 7) Provide project management for non-technical initiatives; and 8) Facilitate non-technical activities and events.

This streamlined approach includes developing an email list of firms that are interested in receiving direct notification of general organizational projects. Firms will be added on an on-going basis. Fast-tracked projects will have a shorter advertising period and turn-around time. Firms will be asked to submit responses within 5 business days and will be required to work diligently with Mn/DOT toward establishing a contract upon selection. All projects will be advertised to the public. Your firm will be directly notified that there is a project posted on the Consultant Services Website (www.dot.state.mn.us/consult) that requires general organizational skills. Please note that this notice is not a solicitation or request for proposals of any kind. Being placed on the list does not guarantee work nor does it obligate Mn/DOT to provide any contracting opportunities under this program.

Interested firms should send the following information to the e-mail address below: Firm name, firm contact person, phone number, and email address.

Contact: Melissa McGinnis, Contract Administrator
E-mail: *melissa.mcginis@state.mn.us*
Telephone: (651) 366-4644

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Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT)

Engineering Services Division

Notice of Potential Availability of Contracting Opportunities for a Variety of Highway Related Technical Activities (“Consultant Pre-Qualification Program”)

This document is available in alternative formats for persons with disabilities by calling Kelly Arneson at (651) 366-4774; for persons who are hearing or speech impaired by calling Minnesota Relay Service at (800) 627-3529.

Mn/DOT, worked in conjunction with the Consultant Reform Committee, the American Council of Engineering Companies of Minnesota (ACEC/MN), and the Department of Administration, to develop the Consultant Pre-Qualification Program as a new method of consultant selection. The ultimate goal of the Pre-Qualification Program is to streamline the process of contracting for highway related professional/technical services. Mn/DOT awards most of its consultant contracts for highway-related technical activities using this method, however, Mn/DOT also reserves the right to use Request for Proposal (RFP) or other selection processes for particular projects. Nothing in this solicitation requires Mn/DOT to use the Consultant Pre-Qualification Program.

Mn/DOT is currently requesting applications from consultants. Refer to Mn/DOT’s Consultant Services web site, indicated below, to see which highway related professional/technical services are available for application. Applications are accepted on a continual basis. All expenses are incurred in responding to this notice will be borne by the responder. Response to this notice becomes public information under the Minnesota Government Data Practices.

Consultant Pre-Qualification Program information, application requirements and applications forms are available on Mn/DOT’s Consultant Services web site at: <http://www.dot.state.mn.us/consult>.

Send completed application material to:

Kelly Arneson
Consultant Services
Office of Technical Support
Minnesota Department of Transportation
395 John Ireland Blvd. Mail Stop 680
St. Paul, MN 55155

Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT)

Engineering Services Division

Notice Concerning Professional/Technical Contract Opportunities and Taxpayers’ Transportation Accountability Act Notices

NOTICE TO ALL: The Minnesota Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT) is now placing additional public notices for professional/technical contract opportunities on Mn/DOT’s Consultant Services **website** at: www.dot.state.mn.us/consult

New Public notices may be added to the website on a daily basis and be available for the time period as indicated within the public notice. Mn/DOT is also posting notices as required by the Taxpayers’ Transportation Accountability Act on the above referenced website.

Non-State Bids, Contracts & Grants

The *State Register* also serves as a central marketplace for contracts let out on bid by the public sector. The *State Register* meets state and federal guidelines for statewide circulation of public notices. Any tax-supported institution or government jurisdiction may advertise contracts and requests for proposals from the private sector. It is recommended that contracts and RFPs include the following: 1) name of contact person; 2) institution name, address, and telephone number; 3) brief description of commodity, project or tasks; 4) cost estimate; and 5) final submission date of completed contract proposal. Allow at least three weeks from publication date (four weeks from the date article is submitted for publication). Surveys show that subscribers are interested in hearing about contracts for estimates as low as \$1,000. Contact editor for further details.

Projects with Other Agencies

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Coon Creek Watershed District Request for Interest Proposals for Professional Services for Engineering and Legal Services

Pursuant to *Minnesota Statute* 103B.227, Subd. 5, the Coon Creek Watershed District hereby solicits letters of Interest for Engineering and Legal consulting services for 2011 and 2012. The annual budget for all services for the organization for the year 2011 is \$1,036,084.

Letter should include a brief description of the company and the experience of the individual(s) proposing to perform the services for the District. The District will review said letters, and reserves to itself the right to take such action as it deems in its best interests. All letters of interest should be submitted on or before Noon April 7, 2011, to:

District Administrator
Coon Creek Watershed District
12301 Central Avenue NE, Suite 100
Blaine, MN 55434

Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC) Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport Notice of Call for Bids for Runway 12R/30L Tunnel Fans and Dampers

MAC Contract No.: 106-1-235
Bids Close At: 2:00 p.m. April 12, 2011

Notice to Contractors: Sealed Bid Proposals for the project listed above will be received by the MAC, a public corporation, at the office thereof located at 6040-28th Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 55450, until the date and hour indicated above.

The project consists of the removal of the existing tunnel ventilation fans and the installation of new supply and exhaust fans with connection to the MAC OABA building automation system for monitoring and alarms. **It is highly recommended to attend the prebid meeting as this will be the only opportunity to visit the project site.** The pre-bid conference will be held in the Kraus Anderson Conference Center located on the Ground Level of Concourse C of Terminal 1-Lindbergh Complex on Wednesday March 30, 2011 at 1:30 pm. The entrance to the conference center is accessible from 'D' Street.

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Targeted Group Businesses (TGBs): The goal of the MAC for the utilization of TGBs on this project is 2%.

Bid Security: Each Bid shall be accompanied by a "Bid Security" in the form of a certified check made payable to the MAC in the amount of not less than five percent (5%) of the total bid, or a surety bond in the same amount, running to the MAC, with the surety company thereon duly authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota.

Availability of Bidding Documents: Bidding Documents are on file for inspection at the office of Michaud Cooley Erickson, at the Minneapolis and Saint Paul Builders Exchanges; McGraw Hill Construction Dodge; and NAMC-UM Plan Room. Bidders desiring bidding documents may secure a complete set from *Franz Reprographics; 2781 Freeway; Blvd, Ste 100; Brooklyn Center, MN, 55430; PH: 763-503-3401; FX: 763-503-3409.* Make checks payable to Michaud Cooley Erickson. Deposit per set (refundable): \$150.00. Requests for mailing sets will be invoiced for mailing charges. Deposit will be refunded upon return of bidding documents in good condition within (10) days of opening of bids.

MAC Internet Access of Additional Information: A comprehensive Notice of Call for Bids (Document 00020) for this project will be available on March 21, 2011, at MAC's web address of www.metroairports.org/business/solicitations (construction bids).

Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC) Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport Notice of Call for Bids for 2011 Pavement Reconstruction

MAC Contract No. 106 1 237
Bids Close At: 2:00 PM on April 12, 2011

Notice to Contractors: Sealed Bid Proposals for the project listed above will be received by the MAC, a public corporation, at the office thereof located at 6040 - 28th Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55450, until the date and hour indicated.

This project provides for the removal and replacement of approximately 7,500 square yards of concrete apron adjacent to Concourses C and D at the Terminal 1-Lindbergh located at the Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport.

Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs): The goal of the MAC for the utilization of DBEs on this project is 8%.

Bid Security: Each Bid shall be accompanied by a "Bid-Security" in the form of a certified check made payable to the MAC in the amount of not less than five percent (5%) of the total bid, or a surety bond in the same amount, running to the MAC, with the surety company thereon duly authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota.

Availability of Bidding Documents: Bidding documents are on file for inspection at the office of TKDA, the Minneapolis and Saint Paul Builders Exchanges; McGraw Hill Construction Plan Room; NAMC-UM Plan Room. Bidders desiring bidding documents may secure a complete set from TKDA; 444 Cedar Street, Suite 1500; St. Paul, MN, 55101; **Phone:** (651) 292-4400; **Fax:** (651) 292-0083. Make checks payable to TKDA. Deposit per set (refundable): \$50.00. Requests for mailing sets will be invoiced for mailing charges. Deposit will be refunded upon return of bidding documents in good condition within 10 days of opening of bids.

MAC Internet Access of Additional Information: A comprehensive Notice of Call for Bids (Document 00021) for this project will be available on March 14, 2011, at MAC's web address of: www.metroairports.org/business/solicitations (construction bids).

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